

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:	
MASAHIKE MAEDA	
Serial No.: DIVN OF USSN 10/116,055	Art Unit: 2831
FILED APRIL 5, 2002	
Filed: June 27, 2003	Examiner: Not Yet Assigned
For: SOLID ELECTROLYTIC CAPACITOR AND METHOD OF MAKING THE SAME	

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

Any fee not covered by a check accompanying this paper and necessary for consideration of this Preliminary Amendment response may be charged to Deposit Account Number 50-1390.

**Amendments to the Specification:** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims:** reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks:** begin on page 6 of this paper.